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THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

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Intelligence Community Staff

MEMORANDUM FOR: See Distribution List

SUBJECT: Intelligence Exercise

1. The Director of Central Intelligence wishes the Community to develop an Intelligence Game for the purpose of testing analytical and other reactions under a simulated crisis scenario.

2. After consultations involving analysts and intelligence managers in CIA, representatives of the Studies, Analysis, and Gaming Agency of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (SAGA), the NIO for the USSR and Eastern Europe, and my staff, I have decided on a three-stage exercise with post-Tito Yugoslavia as the theme. It is based in part on an excellent SAGA exercise, EPSILON 74.

3. The first stage will be a preliminary conference of analysts, managers and Operations Center personnel in CIA. Each participant should be prepared to discuss four broad questions:

--In the event that Tito dies in the near future

- a. What would the role of his office be in such a crisis?
- b. What would his office expect of other elements of CIA in terms of tasking, support and coordination?
- c. What would be expected of elements outside CIA--that is, other components of the Community and policy levels?
- d. What problems would his office expect and what solutions would he recommend for overcoming these problems?

I am scheduling this first phase for Tuesday, 18 March, from 1330-1600, in Room 6E0708, CIA Headquarters. All CIA components with interest in Yugoslav affairs, and in Soviet or Western European policy toward Yugoslavia, are invited to send representatives. The CIA Operations

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4. The second phase will involve a similar conference, this time involving the other USIB agencies with appropriate substantive interest as well as CIA, and addressing primarily questions c and d. The NIO for USSR/EE has been invited to chair this conference, which I have scheduled for Tuesday, 25 March, again from 1330-1600, in Room 6E0708, CIA Headquarters. I invite agencies to send representatives, or at least to provide written comments to the IC Staff on questions c and d by that date.

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7. For further details, please contact my staff:

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This concerns the "Intelligence Game"
[redacted] ordered by Colby. Vince [redacted]
has been involved with the project since its inception, but as far as I can determine, he's the only one in the DDI who has been. Obviously this will involve OCI and OSR, and probably OER and OPR as well.

Several questions arise:

--Should there be a single DDI pegpoint, and, if so, who? *yes*

--Who should attend the 18 March Planning session? (Vince already plans to attend). *no Problem*

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